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I wish to express my sympathy to you on the sudden death of your husband on December 21 [redacted]

You have suffered a great loss and words are inadequate for me to express my heartfelt sympathy. The Agency has also suffered the loss of a loyal and extremely competent employee.

I wish to extend every possible assistance of the Agency to you in settling [redacted] affairs and in making whatever readjustments are necessary as the result of his unexpected death.

Sincerely,

Signed & disp 1-11-49

R. W. BELMONT
Rear Admiral, USN
Director of Central
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cc: Director

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